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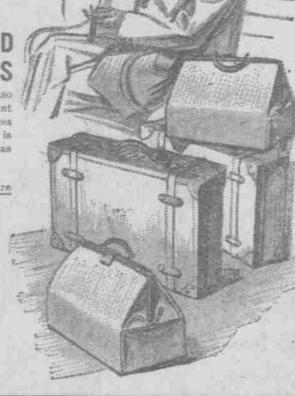
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John D. Rockefeller Becomes Emphatic on Witness Stand in Missouri.

New York, May 29.—John D. Rocke-feller, retired head of the dissolved Standard Oil company, was placed on Standard Oil company, was placed on the dissolved of the management of these subsidiary companies: Have the witness stand bere to tell whether he believed the company had been really dissolved under the decree of the United

States supreme court.

The oil millionaire could not be induced at all times to give direct answers to questions, but made indignant denial of all suggestions that there had been any effort to evade the decree of

Mr. Rockefeller appeared as a witness in the action brought nominally is distinct."

by Missouri to compet the inspectors of "Then, why is it that the old company the election of the stockholders of the and this group of gentlemen of which Waters-Pierce Oil company at St. Louis you speak had placed in their bands the st February to vote the proxi-Rockefeller and other Standard Oil interests, which had named Standard Oil men as officers of the company.

The inspectors refused on the ground that to do so would violate the dissolution decree of the supreme court of the United States, and of he decision of the Missouri supreme court ousting the Standard Oil company of Indiana from the former state. The Waters-Pierce interests alloged in fighting to prevent the Standard Oil representatives from gaining control of the company that the manner in which the Standard Oil interests had observed the decree of the United States court was "furcial."

Pounds His Fist. Mr. Rockefeller was subjected to a grilling examination by Samuel Unter-meyer, counsel for the Waters-Pierce interests that caused the witness to pound his fists on the table to emphasize his indigment denials of pointed questions as to whether the decree of the court had been in fact carried out.

"Did you ever have a discussion with John D. Archbald as how three subsidiaries could be 'cut loose and still be held tight?" queried the Waters-Pierce attorney.

"There was never any thought of cut-ting loose and holding tight." Mr. Rocke-feller almost shouted. "I happen to

know about that."

Mr. Bockefeller had previously made the statement that he had never read the United States court decision, although he knew about it "in a general

Would Not Make Direct Answers. Mr. Untermeyer had the most difficulty throughout the examination to get him to answer questions by "yes" or "no." Mr. Rockefeller persisted in giving his own answers in his own way, nor could be be induced to change his tactics, even after commissioner Jacobs, appointed to take the testimony, had instructed him to give a direct answer.

After declaring that he had given the

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Mrs. Auston Fowell, who has been very sick since her return from Carrilaterest.

reorganization of these companies no attention, and that he had turned his Waters-Pierce holdings over to "the gentlemen in charge of the reorganization," because "they knew best what to do," Mr. Bockefeller, who had been talking in the gentle, well modulated voice, was asked the question as to whether he had discussed a plan to "cut loose and hold tight."

It was here that he brought his fist down on the table to emphasize his in-

dignant denial.

"The matter of these reorganizations is something I have given no attention to at all," he added.

you been made acquainted with any?" "I have never been made acquainten with anything else than that there was plan that these companies each should ulfill its own functions."

"There was a plan, as I understand it, o try to obey the decree and yet to run he business together?" "No, sir," answered the witness, raising his voice. "Each of these interests is distinct."

tute and name all of the boards of directors and all officers of these constituent

In order that the boards of directors of these constituent companies might be qualified in the best way to fulfill heir functions," replied the witness.

That is a very simple thing."

Mr. Untermeyer concluded his questioning at this point with a heavy sigh.

GOLD LOCKET FOR DOUGLASS TEACHER

Katle Craig, teacher at the Douglass egro) school who was in charge of e program which was given by the mool preceding its annual closing ex-cises, has been presented with a gold action preceding its shintal closing ex-creises, has been presented with a gold locket and chain as an appreciation in training the pupils of the school for the play and for the commencement, which was held Monday evening. The present was suggested by Mrs. B. F. Cleveland and Mrs. J. T. Edwards, and was presented to the teacher at the conclusion of the commencement pro-

TULAROSA NEWS NOTES AND PERSONAL MENTION Tularosa, N. M., May 23.—C. C. Bourne and family have left for the an Andreas mountains, where they expect to stay for the summer. Mr. Bourne and son. Will, plan to do some mining work for a company in which they are interested.

Mrs. S. P. Clayign has arrived from Reswell, N. M., with her son, Verner, who has been attending the Military institute there this term. He will spend his variation here. O. P. Kordslek is here from Silver

City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Land have moved into the J. J. Banders residence, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Lupton. Edwin Peppard will go to Cleveland, Ohio, to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Darby have left for their old home at Cleveland, Ohio.

Banch Turner has raturned to his home in the White Sands after spending several days here.

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Miss Marguerite Reagon has returned from La Lus, where she went to attend the timeral of the year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lupton and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. Lupton, and grandaughter, Marguerite Gunton, have all moved to Alamogerdo to make their home.

Mrs. Jim Stackes is on the sick list this work.

Mrs. Kate Livingston has left for namrock, N. M., to visit her daughter, Miss Rebecca Livingston, who has a homestead there. Raymond Meek is here from Meek, N.

M., on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Meck, and sister, Mes Ab-bey Meck. Mr. and Mrs. Woods and daughter are here from their ranch in the San Andreas. While here they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fab Briscoe and

family.

Mrs. C. C. Bradford was here from Roswell, N. M., and visited with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Clayton.

L. E. Lumbley has been appointed postmaster at West Talaross.

Mrs. Allie Coleman and three daughtors are here from Retols, Texas, to visit for a month with mother and grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Sparkes.

Miss Lens Maxwell, who has been

Miss Lena Maxwell, who has been sick is able to be up.

Mrs. Win. Sullen is expected soon from Cunningham, Kas. to live on her homestead south of town.

Mrs. George Elikins will leave next work for her homes abuilt fore willed. week for her home, about four miles above Mescalero, N. M., after spending

Republican Convention.

Chicago, Iil. May 29.—Elaborate lans for the scating and decorative satures of the Collseum at the Re-

The 500 active newspaper men who will be here from all parts of the country to "cover" the convention will occupy two stands abutting on both sides of the speakers' platform. Elaborate arrangements have been

Those who wish libations will have to go outside the hall to get them.

In the annex, lounging and retiring rooms for members of the national committee will be arranged. The committee expects to hold several long night sessions in preparing the pre-liminary work of the convention, and the rooms will be useful on those occasions.

ing a main facade of gollile stone and arches of steel, no chances are being taken. Eleven entrances have been arranged, half of them leading into Wabash avenue, and the others into the

o the decoration scheme. The wall's urface at the south end of the hall, irectly back of the speakers' platform, will be a bower of American flags, with a large president's flag as a cen-

with a large president's flag as a centerpiers. Draped from this will be long streamers of bunting. These streamers will be placed entirely around the hall and, at 23 foot intersections, will be caught up by shields or other emblems.

Above the east and west end steel trusses, which compose the arch, will be 15-foot American flags and the same scheme will be carried out in covering the arched celling of the building. No expense has been spared this rear in making the Coliseum a place of beauty.

Fred W. Upham, chairman of the Chicago committee, and Col. New have been cooperating with Mr. Brown in making the arrangements.

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features of the Collseum at the Republican national convention on June 18 have been mapped out by Arthur G. Brown, the building architect, and a force of artisans is now at work remodeling the big structure.

Profiting by his experience in planning the convention hall on two previous occasions, Mr. Brown is making especial efforts to make use of every inch of space, and at the same time care for the comfort and convenience of the 12,000 persors who will occupy the Bepublican nomination.

The speaker's platform will occupy the same position as four years ago—at the south end of the main auditor-lum. Back of the platform will be an elevated structure of seats reserved for the distinguished guests of the con-

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vention.

In front of the speaker's platform and on one level will be the seats of the 2039 delegates and alternates. The latter to be seated directly behind the principals. The seats on the ground floor will be for the actual participants, and the galleries will accommodate the guests. The band stand will be suspended at the north end of the hall.

Provisions for Press.

Elaborate arrangements have been made to assist in the dissemination of news. In the basement large telegraph and work rooms have been arranged, and these will be connected with the press stands by "blind" alleys for the private use of the newspaper men.

The accountic properties of the hall have been tested by Mr. Brown and found to be in such splendid shape there will be no need for the putting in of additional sounding boards.

"Any well incdulated voice can be heard in the hall by every person present." Mr. Brown said, regarding this

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Especial attention has been paid to arrangements for the comfort of the convention guests. An emergency hos-pital will be located in the basement and there will be rest rooms for women who become fatigued and restaurant rooms. Also a drink emporium will be erected just outside the main hall. Those who wish libations will have to

Many Exits.

Another feature which is being carefully looked after is the safety of those in the hall in case of fire. Although the hullding is fireproof, hav-

alley in the rear.

To guide visitors to their seats, hig signs will be placed above all the entrances, which will notify them at which one to present their tickets.

Banners also will be suspended across nearby street between their tickets. earby street intersections giving the ame information.
The national colors will predominate

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Acoustics Are Perfect; Elaborate Plans For Coming

Memorial day will be formally observed in El Paso and Fort Bliss for the first time in a number of years. At 9:30 Thursday morning the Grand Army of the Republic and the Confederate Veterans will assemble on the steps of the federal building and will proceed to Evergreen and Concordia cemeteries, where the graves of the dead veterans of the two great armies have been appropriately marked with American flags. Each grave will be decorated with a wreath of sweet pean, this being the first year that an effort has been made to use flowers in the observance of Memorial day here.

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A committee of patriotic women, led by Mrs. T. J. Jones and Mrs. C. E. Kelly, has arranged for automobiles to take the grizzled veterans of the great confilet to the cometeries. A group of white gowned little girls will accompany the veterans in the autos and will distribute the flowers on the graves, which have been marked by the regulation American flags, furnished by the government. The veterans will be met at the entrance to Evergreen cemetery by a squad of cavalrymen from the Washington park camp of the Fourth cavalry. This squad will act as the firing squad and will fire a salute over the graves of the deceased veterans at the close of the brief ceremony which will be held under the trees at the cemetery by chapitain Thomas Livingston, of the Fourth cavalry. A trumpeter will then play taps as the closing part of the Memorial day observance. The graves of the veterans in Concordia will also be decorated.

Observance at Fort Bitss.

Will Fire Salute Over the

Graves of Veterans; a

General Observance.

Observance at Fort Bliss.

At Fort Bliss the formal Memmorial day ceremony will be held in compliance with the army regulation. At moon the cavalry band will assemble on parade and will play appropriate music in memory of the civil war dead. The fiag on the parade flagpole will remain at half must during the morning. A solute of 21 guns will be fired at noon and patriotic music will again be played in the evening at retreat. In keeping with a custom which has originated with the grand commander of the G. A. R., the veterans will remain uncovered at the noon hour as a mark of respect for their comrades who have died during the year. This objects a support of the opening the paragraphy the managery of the opening the paragraphy that the paragr ave died during the year. This ob-

the autos which will carry the vetrans of the two armies to the ceme-crics will be decorated with flags and he business men will be asked to dec-rate their buildings with American

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The Anson Mills building, monument to one of the civil war's heroes will be decorated from curb to parapet Thursday, in keeping with the Memorial day spirit. The windows of the big building will be hung with flags and the big flagsole on the roof will be draped with a new American flag at haif mast during the morning.

St. Glement's club will observe Memorial day with a meeting at Kendrick hail, the parish house of the church Chaplain Thomas Livingston will give a talk on soldier life and the battery B quartet will sing. The post card invitations say to "come and bring a friend or two."

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WORK PROGRESSES ON CITY WAREHOUSE

Work on the city warehouse on Ma-goffin avenue has progressed to the stage where forms are being set for the nouring of concrete for the piers on the first story.

At present 35 men are employed on work at the warehouse and it is ex-pected that the concrete piers for the first story will be poured within a

NEW SEWER GATE TO BE COMPLETED SOON The new sewer gate at the disposal plant will be completed Wednesday or Thursday. It has been set in a concrete basin, which is reofed over with brick and will turn with a wheel. This gate is for the purpose of preventing any flooding of the disposal plant engine room.

WORK IS COMMENCED ON WORK IS COMMERCED OF THE LINE AT ET, BLISS Work has commenced on the new paper has it? Bliss through which water is to be supplied to the infantry and artillary camp at Ft. Bliss.

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WAITERS STRIKE: RIOT RESULTS

Police Compelled to Fire Revolvers to Frighten Participants.

Participants.

New York, N. Y., May 25.—Disorders developed last night in connection with the notel waiters' strike and theater going crowds on Broadway were paule stricken at one disturbance in which shots were fired.

The Hotel Men's association of New York and the Ailled Waiters' associations reached an agreement, but the strike of waiters affiliated with the waiters' union spread to the Holland House and Churchill's restaurants in Broadway. More than 200 waiters and cooks left these places.

After the strike at Churchill's there was a serious riot at Broadway and stih street. Demonstrators fought with ine police who tried to disperse them. In an effort to restore order a delective fired two shots into the ain causing a panic among the thousands who had gathered in front of the restaurant. Police reserves finally restaurant agreed to grant the strikers' demands and they returned to work.

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